## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN	)	
ACC OF KENTUCKY LLC AND BRANDENBURG	)	CASE NO
TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC. PURSUANT TO	)	2001-229
SECTION 252(b) OF THE COMMUNICATIONS	)	
ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED BY THE	)	
TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996	)	

## <u>ORDER</u>

On December 28, 2001, ACC of Kentucky LLC ("ACC") and Brandenburg Telephone Company, Inc. ("Brandenburg") jointly filed an interconnection agreement for the transport and termination of telecommunications traffic between them. The agreement, which was negotiated pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996 ("1996 Act"), 47 U.S.C. Sections 251 and 252, resolves all issues raised by ACC in its petition for arbitration. Section 252(e) of the 1996 Act requires the parties to an interconnection agreement adopted by negotiation or arbitration to submit the agreement for approval to the Commission.

The Commission, having reviewed the agreement, finds that no portion of the agreement discriminates against any telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement. The Commission also finds that implementation of the agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.

The Commission, being otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that the agreement between ACC and Brandenburg is approved.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2002.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director